Colored Dots

Impressive services were held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a special sermon from the subject "Pressing Toward the Goal." All present enjoyed the message. The church choir rendered special music. The offering was lifted by the deacons. A special after-offering for the March of Dimes was also taken. The appeal was made by Mrs. Theda Harris.

Deacon Lyman Harvey, a life-long resident and citizen of Appomattox County, passed away at his home in Concord, Va., early Monday morning. He was active to the last. He had been in declining health for the past three years. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Theda Harris of Rt. 3, Lynchburg, and one son, Mr. Howard Harvey, of New York City, and other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be conducted from the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church this Thursday evening at 3:45.

The public is invited to worship at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday morning at the 11:30 service. The church auxiliaries will meet following the morning service.

William Douglas Brown and Miss Irma Hamlet were married last Saturday evening in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Marshall. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Marshall in the presence of relatives and friends.

Mr. Henry Petty died at the home of his nephew last Saturday morning. His remains rest at the West funeral home pending arrangements by members of the family.

Rev. C. A. Marshall left here early Monday for Shreveport, La., to visit a very sick brother.

Deacon and Mrs. Emmett Fleshman attended the funeral service of his brother-in-law in Philadelphia recently.

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The awards are for accident free records and for Mr. Layne it represents his ninth consecutive year of driving without an accident.

IN MEMORIAM:

In loving memory of our mother, Mrs. G. W. Lewis, who went to be with Jesus one year ago, Jan. 17.

MOTHER

She is our dearest friend on earth,
She shares our sorrows and our mirth,
We find no words to tell the worth,
Of Mother.

Who, when our friends all prove untrue,
And we are feeling sad and blue,
Who is it then that comforts you?
Dear Mother.

And when confined to our bed,
She gently bathes our aching head,
And for us tears of love did shed,
Sweet Mother.

She taught us from day to day,
To put our trust in God and pray
For Him to guide us on our way,
Our Mother.

And when our Heavenly Father called her home,
And we were left all alone,
Oh, sad and dreary is our home,
Without Mother.

With Aching hearts our pain we bear,
We seek for friends both near and far,
But can find none that can compare,
With Mother.

But yet her words remain so sweet,
They guide along our weary feet,
We have the hope again to meet,
Our Mother.

Sadly missed by
THE CHILDREN 1tc

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the family of Mr. H. Winston Ferguson wish to thank their neighbors, friends and relatives for the kindness shown them during their recent bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral designs. 16p The Family

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their visits, letter, food and cards of love and sympathy, also floral offerings at the death of our beloved husband and father, W. T. Childers. May God bless each of you that helped us bear this great sorrow.
—Mrs. W. T. Childers and family. 1tp

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FOR SALE—8 pigs: seven weeks old.
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FOR RENT — 4-room bungalow, with all conveniences.
Mrs. W. R. Reynolds. 1tc

For Rent: House: recently redecorated. Bath, running water, electricity, hot water heater. Also: House, no improvements except electricity.
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It is highly desirable that you personally attend the Meeting, however, if you can not do so, will you kindly execute a proxy, so that your holding may be represented.

The Bank of Appomattox,
Appomattox, Virginia.
By: J. Crawford Davidson, Cashier

NOTICE
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given as provided by Sec. 33-47 of the Code of Virginia, that a representative of the Department of Highways in charge of the Secondary System of roads in Appomattox County, will meet with this Board of Supervisors at its regular meeting in March, 1958, to-wit March 12, 1958, at 9:00 a. m. in the Court House to discuss and advise with the undersigned Board and Citizens present, plans and proposals for the maintenance and improvement, including construction and reconstruction of Roads in the Secondary System of Appomattox County.

Board of Supervisors of
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F. L. Murphy, Chairman.
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Jan. 16, 23

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LEGALS

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Pursuant to authority vested in the undersigned Trustee by virtue of that certain Deed of Trust, dated November 30, 1946, executed by Ben F. Lee and Lelia Lee, of record on December 2, 1946, in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Virginia, in D. B. 47, at Page 303, that default having been made in payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and upon request by the holder of said obligation that the trust be executed, and in compliance therewith, the following real estate will be offered for sale in compliance with the terms and conditions of the aforementioned instrument, at 11 a. m. in the Court House to the DESCRIPTION:

That certain tract of land with the buildings and improvements thereon containing Thirty (30) acres, more or less, and being sold by the boundary agreed by the acre, situated in Southside Magisterial District of Appomattox County, Virginia, about two (2) miles Southwest of Chap or Johnson's Store, adjoining the lands formerly owned by John W. Tweedy, S. B. Fore and others, and being the same tract of land which was conveyed to John W. Tweedy by partition deed by himself and his brothers, Charles E. Tweedy, dated December 9, 1914, of record in D. B. 16, at Page 501. For a more complete description of this property reference is made to a plat of said partition deed referred to above recorded in D. B. 16, at Page 502, being the identical land conveyed by John W. Tweedy and Ruth Tweedy, his wife, to Ben F. Lee by deed, dated March 18, 1915, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Appomattox County, Virginia, in D. B. 16, at Page 18.

Note: Spring water, two branches on place, small two room frame dwelling, metal roof, one old tobacco barn, old hog house, one good fire tobacco barn, about 10 to 12 acres in woods, about 9 3-4 acres of wheat has been sowed by renter, being sold subject to renter's wheat crop, purchaser to get immediate possession, this is about 12 miles South of Appomattox Court House, about 1 mile off the North side of the Lime Road, adjoining lands owned by Fred Jones, Russell and Evans Brothers; it is the heirs allotment of Flora Dorcas Tobacco, 18/100 (1957) of said Dark Fired Allotment and 1.5 acres Burley Allotment.

Place of Sale: On the Premises.
Time of Sale: 10:30 O'Clock A. M.
Friday, February 7, 1958.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
Trustee: R. L. Burke.
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Father Darkleaf

by c. h. r.

It is nice to be back in Appomattox after a ten-day vacation in sunny Florida. We arrived home late Sunday. We were glad to find that our regular staff, with the assistance of our friend, Billy Evans, now of The Washington Post, did a fine job for us while we were away.

I did a lot of writing on this trip and may pass along some of the copy from time to time. One interesting item was the fact that we found that motor courts are getting more and more attractive, and there seems to be no end to the fine new ones going up. We stayed in one right on the beach at Miami Beach that had 206 units. Another one had a new service: "Call the desk, and we will send around a free portable typewriter for your use." I had my own with me, but it does appear that they are going all out to please guests.

I am usually willing to try a new dish at a restaurant. And so at Edmonia's Restaurant in Key West, on Duval Street, the appetizer was "Conch Chowder." That was a new one for me. I knew that "something lived in a conch seashell," and in my basement "museum" I have lots of conch shells. But eating Conch Chowder was a new experience, and it turned out to be the best thing I had to eat on the trip!

This paragraph could be called: "They Were In Six." It seems that when the Russians put off all their new missiles and sputniks, some of our people became annoyed and decided that we needed a special commission of a few of our very ablest scientists to look into the matter of stepping up our science and research. The man named as chairman of this group was Dr. Howard L. Bevis, 72, for 17 years president of the University of Ohio. Before undertaking his duties, Dr. Bevis and his wife took a short vacation in Florida. And so, when Mother Knightleaf and I went to Key West yesterday, we stayed at The Atlantic Shores Motel— in Room 7. And who was in Room 6- Dr. and Mrs. Bevis!

I feel sure that his many friends here will be glad to hear that while we were in Miami we took advantage of the opportunity to chat by telephone with the Rev. J. Marshall Walker, former pastor of Liberty Baptist Church. We got him on the phone early one morning, and took up about 15 minutes of his time. He sent his love to all in Appomattox. He has been in Miami for 20 months and is doing a fine job in his ministry. We called from the Beach, and found that we had passed within three blocks of his church driving into Miami from Key West. I want to state that any church is fortunate to have Rev. Walker as its pastor, and we hope some day he will come back to Virginia.

While at Silver Springs, Florida, we saw a live performance of the Arlene Frances TV show. She was interviewing Florida's Governor Leroy Collins. Collins says that his state should have three governors! One to stay at the capital and conduct the business of the state. Another to travel about the state dedicating bridges, buildings, etc. and attending public meetings. And a third to travel outside the state to "sell" the state to tourists. That would surely go for most any state or even the federal government.

Most anyone would back off if you threatened them with a bite by a rattlesnake. So . . I was impressed while in Miami Beach last week by the remarks of Dorothy Noyes, who last June was honored as "Advertising Woman of the Year in America." Miss Noyes said that each year about six persons die from bites of all poisonous snakes, while 40,000 perish from encounters with motor vehicles! So it might be true that an automobile is more dangerous than a rattlesnake!

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Senate leaders cool to the new Benson farm plan.

Each American in 1956 consumed an average of 18 pounds of ice cream compared to 1½ pounds in 1909 in the early days of commercial ice cream production.

Flue-Cured Advice Given

As the time for seeding flue-cured tobacco plant beds draws near growers are advised to produce a balanced middle-of-the-road crop in 1958.

This advice stems from a recent Raleigh, N. C., "Flue-Cured Tobacco Outlook Conference." The conference was attended by more than 150 leaders from the flue-cured tobacco area, including officials of the U. S. Department and State Departments of Agriculture, representatives of the various segments of the tobacco industry, farm organizations, and ASC, Research and Extension personnel. A prime purpose of the meeting was to develop recommendations relating to the quality of flue-cured leaf current in demand. The following statement was developed by a 15-man committee selected to summarize the recommendations of the conference and adopted for release jointly by the Department and cooperating state agencies:

"Since 95 per cent of the flue-cured tobacco is used for cigarettes, growers should strive to produce ripe, mellow tobacco having a medium body, rich, clear color, and possessing full flavor and aroma. They should harvest tobacco only when ripe, irrespective of variety, and should avoid practices that result in heavy-bodied, leathery tobacco.

"It was generally agreed that the best way to produce tobacco with qualities acceptable to the different segments of the trade is for growers to follow the practices recommended by cooperating State and Federal agricultural agencies. These practices include plant bed management, fertilization, transplanting techniques, spacing, cultivation, topping and suckering, irrigation, harvesting, curing, and preparation for market."

Particularly stressed in the conference was the point that the trade wants "ripe tobacco of good quality." This was explained to mean tobacco of good body and color, and with aroma and flavor.

The variety identification program, first used in 1957, will again be in effect on the 1958 crop. Under this program certain flue-cured tobacco varieties will be accorded government price support at a level of only 50 per cent of the rate for the corresponding grade of acceptable varieties. The discount varieties are Coker 139, Coker 140, and Dixie Bright 244.

Polaroid perfects color film for its Land Camera.

New York borrows $20 million on tax notes.

Nehru urges neutrality in science.

More low-cost cabins on ships urged.

Appomattox is a growing town.

One Week Left For Dark Tobacco Sales

Attendance At Park Over 84,000 in '57

A new record was set during 1957 in visitor attendance at the Appomattox Court House Historical Park area. Figures released today from the local office of the National Park Service show that a total of 84,009 visitors came to Old Appomattox Court House last year.

This represented an increase of 20,000 over the previous year.

A part of this sizeable increase is attributed to the general influx of visitors throughout Virginia due to events of the Jamestown Festival Year. Several special promotions were staged here in connection with this project, adding greatly to attendance at the Old Court House park area.

The fact that the number of visitors coming here is steadily increasing year after year, points to the fact that the tourist business is becoming a major item in Appomattox economy, and merits consideration in local planning for development.

Open House For New Home Ec. Department

There will be an Open House in the new Home Economics Department at Appomattox High School, January 28, after the P.-T. A. meeting. The public is invited.

GIRL SCOUT ACTIVITY

The Girl Scout Neighborhood Association held a luncheon meeting on Wednesday, January 15, at the Elementary School. Mrs. Charles R. Thomas, chairman of the Neighborhood Service Team, presided at the business session. Girl Scouts of Troop No. 41 led in the flag ceremony.

Mrs. C. C. Tarplee, Executive Director of the Lynchburg Area Council of Girl Scouts, assisted the group in making plans for the 1959-1960 Scouting program.

The Neighborhood Association consists of the chairman, troop organizer, troop counselor, Brownie and Intermediate Girl Scout leaders, and assistant leaders, and troop committee members.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Jan. 27.- Tuna fish salad with crackers, potato chips, hot buttered corn, peaches, 1-2 pt. milk.

Jan. 28.- One whole ham salad sandwich, lima beans, mixed greens, pineapple upside down cake, 1-2 pt. milk.

Jan. 29.- Hot dog on roll with dressing, spaghetti, cole slaw, ice cream, 1-2 pt. milk.

Jan. 30.- Beef hash on toasted bun, baked potatoes, green peas, chocolate pudding, 1-2 pt. milk.

Jan. 31.- Vegetable stew with crackers, 1-2 peanut butter sandwich, apple sauce, spice cake, 1-2 pt. milk.

PAMPLIN HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

After 22 years of service as home demonstration agent, of Appomattox County, Mrs. Bernard Anderson was granted a year's furlough to study at Purdue University, West LaFayette, Indiana. Her last meeting before leaving on Saturday for Purdue was at the home of Mrs. Jim Wilkins, at Pamplin, where the Pamplin Home Demonstration Club meeting was held Thursday.

Mrs. Anderson introduced Miss Mary Armistead, of Halifax County, the newly appointed assistant county home agent. The main feature of that meeting was the making, baking and serving of Hungarian coffee cake, various buns and light rolls.

Small Business Clinic

The first session of the Small Business Clinic will meet tonight, Thursday, at 7:30 at the E. C. Glass High School, Cafeteria I.

The topic for tonight will be "Why Businesses Succeed or Fail" and will be conducted by Mr. Harry M. Meacham, District Manager, Dun and Bradstreet, Richmond, Va. Mr. Meacham is a native of Petersburg, Va. He was first employed by Dun and Bradstreet, Inc. as a financial reporter in Washington, D. C. He was a successful salesman and sales manager and is now the district manager. Mr. Meacham is responsible for eight offices covering the states of Virginia, North Carolina, and part of South Carolina. Mr. Meacham is past president of the Richmond Export-Import Club, lecturer on sales management and past secretary of the Sales Executives Club of Richmond. He has been conducting similar sessions on "Why Businesses Succeed or Fail" throughout the State of Virginia in Small Business Clinics.

He will cover information such as: characteristics of American economy, characteristics of small business, problems of small business, underlying causes of failure, and how to avoid the pitfalls. There will also be a question and answer period.

The next session of the Small Business Clinic will be held in Appomattox on Monday night, January 27, at 7:30 at the Appomattox High School. The topic will be "Legal Relationships," and will be conducted by Edward S. Graves, attorney-at-law.

Individuals wishing to ride tonight to Lynchburg meet at 6:30 at The Bank of Appomattox.

ABBITT TO BE HONORED AT MEETING TONIGHT

At the regular meeting of the Lions Club, Thursday, Jan. 23, Congressman W. M. Abbitt will be presented the 4-H Alumni Recognition Award. This award is presented to former 4-H Club members who have rendered outstanding contributions to their community and state, and is a national award. The award will be presented by the Vice-President of the Olin-Mathieson Chemical Corporation, Little Rock, Arkansas. Among those present will be Dr. W. E. Skelton, State 4-H Club Agent; Mr. W. H. Daugstrey, Associate Director of Extension, and Mr. E. W. Carson, East-Central District Extension Agent.

The award is being presented to Mr. Abbitt at this time because he was unable to attend the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago this November, at which time other National awards were presented.

Miss Mary Owen Armistead, Acting Home Demonstration Agent in Appomattox County, will talk on the subject of her trip as an International Farm Youth Exchange delegate to Belgium.

Press and television representatives will be present.

JAYCETTES MEETING

The regular meeting of the Jaycettes was held Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Ben Marshall. Mrs. Ed Cawthorne assisted as hostess. Mrs. Claiborne Inge, president, presided over the business meeting. A social hour followed. Those present were: Mrs. Kenneth Coleman, and Ken; Mrs. Bill Jamerson, Mrs. Ray Wilhoit, Mrs. Dick Harrison, Mrs. Billy Conner, Mrs. Frank McCann, Mrs. Inge, Mrs. Cawthorne, and Mrs. Marshall.

The February meeting will be held with Mrs. Frank McCann.

Essay Contest Is Announced

Miss Julia Asher, historian of the Appomattox Chapter, U. D. C., has announced that the essay contest for junior and senior students in high school will again be sponsored by the chapter this year, in cooperation with the Virginia Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The following prizes are offered: Seniors— for best essay on "Jackson's Valley Campaign": first, $10; second, $5.00; third, book. Juniors —for best essay on "Belle Boyd": first $10; second, $5; third, book. Seventh and eighth grade pupils, for best essay on Matthew Fontaine Maury, first $5.00; second, $3.00; third, book.

Mrs. Walter W. Scott gave an interesting talk on The Religious Life of Stonewall Jackson at the regular meeting of the local chapter on Tuesday night. The meeting was held at 8:30 o'clock in the county Library.

Garden Club Notice

Garden club meets Mon night —
Miss Harriett Holley will be the guest speaker and review a book at the regular meeting of the Appomattox Garden Club on Monday night, January 27, at 7:30, at the County Library. All members and guests are invited to hear this interesting porgram.

JUNIOR WOMANS' CLUB

The Appomattox Junior Woman's Club will meet Tuesday night, Jan. 28, at 7:30, in the Appomattox Garment Company cafeteria.

P.-T. A. MEETING

The regular meeting of the Appomattox High School P.-T. A. will be held on Tuesday, January 28, in the high school auditorium at 8:00 P. M.

After the business meeting, Mr. Daneel LeRoux will show a film entitled, Mike Makes His Mark.

All patrons are urged to attend.

New York least Protestant of twenty large cities.

Legislature Off To a Fast Start in Session

Richmond, Va., Jan. 20.- Joint committee hearings on the State's biennial budget open this week while a team of legislators and fiscal officers search for more funds.

The House Appropriations Committee, headed by Delegate Howard H. Adams, of Eastville, and the Senate Finance Committee, with Senator J. D. Hagood, of Halifax, chairman, started the heavy work on the appropriations bill with the opening of pubic hearings Tuesday. Meanwhile, Governor Almond had the help of a three-man House subcommittee and four state fiscal authorities in a review of budgetary items which they hope will turn up additional funds to finance enlarged public school appropriations and five million dollars additional for the State Literary Fund. Delegates W. Taylor Murphy, of Warsaw, Fred G. Pollard, of Richmond and James W. Roberts, of Norfolk were assigned from the Appropriations Committee, and the Governor asked the State Tax Commissioner, C. H. Morrissett; Comptroller Sidney C. Day, Jr., Budget Director J. H. Bradford, and Treasurer E. B. Pendleton, Jr., to compose the task force from the executive branch.

The money prospectors will report back to the Governor by January 31, after reviewing prospective reversions at the close of this biennium, income from interest on state deposits, etc., which should provide an up-to-date picture of the amount that can be counted upon as available for appropriation during this session of the legislature. Governor Almond has recommended an increase in new money for the Literary Fund of five million over the ten proposed by former Governor Stanley, and he has promised to seek more money for teacher salaries if the funds can be found to do it. The budget submitted by Stanley left over four million un-earmarked, but this is insufficient to meet Governor Almond's program, to say nothing of other demands that always add several million to scheduled appropriations.

Revenue estimates for the billion dollar money bill were made up several months ago, and Governor Almond believes the current review will show more money available. Some members of the legislature also figure the original budget estimates are well below the actual funds that will be within reach for appropriation.

The General Assembly moved forward to a heavy workload with little lost time. More than 250 bills were introduced in the first two days, plus 33 joint resolutions. Among them were a 2 per cent sales tax bill with Delegate Sam Pope, of Southampton as the chief patron, and a bill by Delegate Hunt Whitehead, of Pittsylvania, to close a public school should federal troops be ordered in. Pope's bill, one that he has been offering for several sessions, had the backing of neither the outgoing nor the incoming governors, both of whom oppose any new or increased taxes, but it did have the sympathy of some counties which claim they are in dire need of more revenue.

NEW BOOK IN THE COUNTY LIBRARY

The Lovely Day,
By Dorothy Evelyn Smith.

Again the Yorkshire moors and seashore provide Mrs. Smith with an alluring background for a new novel in which she has intertwined the stories of an intriguing group of people, chief of whom are an ex-movie star and RAF pilot, a poor and pretty girl and the solid young farmer who is in love with her. This drama unfolds, as do others, during the annual outing of the church choir—a jaunt by bus to the seashore on a brilliant summer morning—a day when everyone, for a while at least, hopes to toss aside his humdrum cares in the fun of a holiday.

Oil company gets permit for Philippine refinery.

With one week left for marketing the dark-fired tobacco crop, the growers are still getting excellent prices and volume of sales is over the 7,000,000 pound mark.

Season's sales early this week were listed at 6,987,427 pounds. By now that total has been exceeded. The average price thus far for the dark-fired belt is $39.39 per hundredweight.

Appomattox growers continued to prove that this county comes up with top quality. An example this week was a sale by E. N. Harvey, of Pamplin. His leaf, grown at Evergreen, sold in piles at $33, $39, $45, $60, $65 and two at $72, for an average of $60.17.

He had a total of 2,326 pounds, at this excellent average.

One sale of Austrian leaf went at $75 per hundred to pace the market.

The markets are set to close on January 30.

Steady demand for good quality leaf is expected to continue right down to the closing hour.

Last week at the Farmville market, 332,036 pounds of leaf were sold, at an average of $38.47.

The total poundage is slightly under that of last year, due to acreage cuts. About 8 per cent of the offerings have gone into the government pool. This is less than last year. This reflects better demand.

EXTENSION COURSE OFFERED HERE

The University of Virginia Extension Division will offer the following course in Appomattox County, depending upon sufficient enrollment to justify holding the class.

Course: Contemporary Literature, II. A study of English and American poetry and prose fiction since 1930; a study of novels, English, American and Continental drama.

Instructor: David K. Cornelius, Ph. D., Assistant Professor of English, Randolph-Macon Woman's College.

Tuition: $25.50.

Credit: Three semester hours undergraduate, University of Virginia.

Time: Monday, February 3, 7:00 P. M.

Place: Appomattox High School.

Those wishing to enroll for this class should contact Earl J. Smith, General Supervisor, Appomattox County Schools, Appomattox, Va., immediately. Write, or phone Appomattox 4244.

LOCAL STUDENT AT MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY

Appomattox is represented at Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., this year with one student included among the record 10,739 enrollment.

She is Shawn K. Mabley, Christmas Farm, Appomattox, a sophomore in the College of Liberal Arts.

Marquette's student body comes from all 48 states, the District of Columbia and 27 foreign countries.

BETA CLUB

The Appomattox H. S. Beta Club held its January meeting on Friday, January 10. Frances Carson, Beta president, conducted devotions by reading a poem, "Just Use Me" and leading in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Laura Carson. The Beta convention, to be held March 21 and 22 at Roanoke, was discussed. Some of the Appomattox Beta members plan to attend. Ralph Inge, Peggy Gregory, Rachel Austin, Dennis Torrence, and Jack Henry presented an interesting program entitled, "The Human Challenge in Business."

—Lubelle Coleman, Reporter.

MEETING OF COUNTY EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

The Appomattox County Education Association will hold its regular meeting in the Appomattox High School February 4, at 7:30 P. M.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

Appomattox Chapter 10, Order of Eastern Star, held its stated meeting Monday night, with 22 members present. Mrs. William Hubbard and Mrs. B[illegible] consult were initiated into r.